

STATE OF TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION 401 CHURCH STREET L & C ANNEX 6TH FLOOR NASHVILLE TN 37243

April 27, 2011

Mr. Phil Pindzola Public Works Director City of Johnson City Municipal and Safety Building 601 East Main Street Johnson City, TN 37601

Subject: NPDES Tracking Number TNS075370

TN NPDES General Permit for Small Municipal Storm Sewer Systems

Johnson City, Washington County, Tennessee

Dear Mr. Pindzola:

Thank you for submitting a Notice of Intent (NOI), received on December 23, 2010, as required by Part 2 of the NPDES General Permit for Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (TNS000000). We have completed a review of the NOI for accuracy and completeness, and are issuing the attached Notice of Coverage (NOC). Issuance of the NOC does not certify that the NOI adequately provides for all requirements as specified in the MS4 permit. It is the responsibility the MS4 to implement, maintain, modify, and improve Best Management Practices that are sufficient to prevent pollution and to remain in compliance with all terms and conditions of the MS4 permit.

If you have questions, please contact the division at the Johnson City Environmental Field Office at 1-888-891-TDEC; or, at this office, please contact Mr. Paul Higgins at (615) 532-1178 or by E-mail at *Paul.Higgins@tn.gov*.

Sincerely,

Vojin Janjić

Manager, Permit Section

CC/EC: DWPC, Permit Section & Johnson City Environmental Field Office

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